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Telephoning by Light.

Professor Alexander Graham Bell believes that telephoning by means of a beam of light will yet be commercially practicable. This belief has grown out of a long course of experiments with selenium. Selenium is marvelously sensitive to the influence of light when it is exposed, to which it gives vibrations which can be electrically transmitted. This remarkable power of transmission induced Professor Bell to test other materials with a view to discovering the same phenomenon. He placed various substances in a test tube, and, after making a connection with a hearing tube, subjected the substances to the influence of intermittent light. Sounds of varying intensity were heard through the tube, according to the intensity of the light and the color. Objects that were diffuse, as woolen, cotton, worsted, etc., gave out the loudest noises. One day, as an experiment, he blackened some red worsted with lampblack. The sounds that it uttered were heightened to such a pitch that they positively rasped on the ear. Some soot was then put into the tube and exposed to the rays of an arc lamp. There was such a storm of sounds that Professor Bell described it as a "trying" noise. This led him to experiment with the sounds produced by artificial light; but he found that such light is neither steady nor strong enough. Professor Bell's story of the way in which he became convinced of the possibility of telephoning without wires is interesting. Some years ago he had fixed a thin, highly polished reflector in such a position that it directed the light from a distant schoolhouse roof through the window of his laboratory in Washington, and a friend who was assisting him stood on the school house roof. As Professor Bell describes it: "A bid of selenium was placed in a test tube, which in turn was connected with a hearing-tube, and all was in readiness. All of a sudden out of the sunbeam came these words: 'Mr. Bell! Mr. Bell! If you hear what I am saying come to the window and wave your arms."

Professor Bell considers the success of these experiments as even more wonderful and of greater significance than was the discovery of the telephone.

The broad guage local trains to Alameda were delayed about an hour early yesterday morning owing to the Alice street draw bridge getting out of order while opened to let a tug and two vessels through. The tug struck the bridge quite heavily. The damage was light, but annoying to the local passengers.

Constable John F. Teague arrested a San Francisco barber yesterday on suspicion of his being a train robber. The suspect was riding on a bicycle.

Dispatcnes from Mexico announce the fact that the differences between that country and Guatemala have been practically settled.

Well-known Woman Dead.

SANTA ROSA, April 2.—Mrs. T. M. Leavenworth, widow of Dr. T. M. Leavenworth, first alcalde of San Francisco, died at her home here this morning. Mrs. Leavenworth was 84 years old and one of the best known women in the county. She came west with her husband in very early days and passed through exciting times incident to San Francisco. Leavenworth street was named for the Doctor.

Japan War News.

LONDON, April 1.—A Central News dispatch from Shanghai says it is reported that the conditions of peace are that China shall pay four hundred million yen indemnity and cede Formosa and Southern Manchuria, Japan holding guarantees pending the payment of the indemnity and settlement of the boundary.

Land Ho!

A syndicate of Eastern people have just been granted a large and very valuable concession of land in Venezuela, at the mouth of the Orinoco river. It is rich in minerals mahogany, rosewood and dye woods. If the old California spirit of rushing to new diggings has not died out it is quite probable that this State will furnish emigrants to build up that country.

After Lambert and Spoils.

It looks as if a fat job was being put up in Oakland in the shape of sending an officer to Honolulu to bring back the defrauding ex-clerk Lambert. This city of late has endeavored to have its business attended to in a straightforward manner. It would be a shame to have scandal attached to it on account of an affair, the end of which never can be any good to the city.

A Good Change.

Charles E. Lloyd, who has been acting as Under Sheriff since the induction of Sheriff White, has thrown up his job in disgust, and William S. Harlow has been appointed his successor. The new Under Sheriff has had about twenty-five years' experience in and about the Sheriff's office, and his appointment meets with favor among all those whose duties bring them in contact with the office. It is current rumor that Mr. Lloyd has been tendered the position of Chief of Police under the new administration.

He is Dead.

The Coroner of Alameda County received the following letter yesterday, and will hold his wagon in readiness:

CORONER BALDWIN,—In case I am found dead around the Berkeley depot will you kindly have the jury return a verdict that the deceased died from starvation while waiting for a job. JOHN E. BOYD.

Diamond Cutting.

It is a known fact that America is the greatest absorbing market for diamonds. The total annual world output is $20,000,000 and $14,000,000 of this comes to America in cut stones. Fifteen thousand persons are engaged in cutting stones alone in Amsterdam and Antwerp, and 5,000 directly connected with the trade. Until the last year not more than forty-five or fifty persons were employed in America and they were recutting and now there are about 300 employed in cutting the rough stone. It will be but a short time when the number will be double, owing to the fact that the late tariff bill increased the duty from 10 to 25 per cent, and 10 per cent was put on the rough stone which was free.

It will be necessary now for the work to be done in this country, thus it will create practically a new industry.

It is reported that a capital of $500,000 has already been subscribed to establish a diamond cutting works in America.

In Brooklyn and Cincinnati shops have already been built and machinery put in and only awaits experienced diamond cutters to begin work.

Judge F. C. Clift has been granted a leave of absence for forty days from the county and State.

George B. Swift, Republican, was elected Mayor of Chicago yesterday by a very large and unexpected majority.

Beef and pork will be higher in price to the consumer than heretofore on account of a combination. Coal oil was added to the list today and no one knows what another day may bring forth.

The Hawaiian minister to the United States, Lorin A. Thurston, arrived from Washington yesterday on his way back home. He has nothing to say about the alleged trouble with Secretary Gresham.

Pretty Slick—the defense of C. P. Huntington in the case of giving a pass from one State to another in violation of the law, will probably be that the man simply held the pass but did not use it.

The original promoter of the Altruria Society on this Coast, W. R. Batten, will leave the colony for a while and go to work elsewhere. The colony is in a good condition and the outlook for it is a cheerful one.

When the *Call* gives its neighbor a right good sendoff and lectures others for not being polite to those in the trade it is time to look out for a pictorial edition of the paper that is intended to annihilate the "fake" newsman.

Walter G. Manuel was elected president of the new Oakland Council. This young man fully deserves the honor won by merit alone. It is only a partial recognition of his valuable services to Oakland. In time the city should do better by him.

Queer Grounds for Divorce.

We subjoin a few of the reasons given for claiming legal separations on the part of married couples in Italy:—One man called his wife's sister a thief. A husband had beaten his wife's pet dog. Another constantly chewed tobacco. A third cut off his wife's curls without her concent. A fourth refused to take his better half out for a walk. A fifth compelled his wife to sit up talking with him after midnight when she would have preferred going to sleep. One lady refused to sew on her husband's trousers buttons. Another lazily stayed in bed till noon every day. A third would not let her husband go near the fire on a cold winter's day. A fourth "lady" dragged her husband out of bed by his beard. A fifth went strolling round the town instead of attending to her domestic duties. —*Il Corriere di Napoli.*

GOSPEL IN THE MOUNTAINS.

The Rocky Road a Preacher has to Travel in the Alleghany's.

"I was in the mountain regions of West Virginia not very long ago," remarked the drummer at the Cadillac to the usual crowd, "and one day as I drove along in my buckboard I overtook a man in [illegible] and asked him to get in with me. He did it without coaxing and I began to question him.

"'You live here, I suppose?' I said for a starter.

"'Yes, an' hev fer ten ye'r,' he replied, rather shortly, I thought.

"'Are you a farmer?'

"'Kind of a one. That is, my wife 'tends to the place, an' raises enough for us to live on, but I mostly preaches.'

"'Oh,' I said, with increased respect, 'you are a local preacher. It's a noble calling, sir.'

"'P'r,haps,' he answered curtly, 'an' p'r,haps not. It don't pay much.'

"'No?' I queried, negatively.

"'No, tain't a gold mine, I reckon,'

"'Of course not, but it is a labor of love and your reward comes after a while.'

"'That's what they been tellin' me round these parts, but a man's got to live somehow. I preached last night at the Rick Run meeting house and I took up a collection of twenty-four cents. Sunday, over on Hurricane, I got thirty-two cents, and foot it eight miles thar and back and had a cold dinner. I ain't never averidged more'n seventeen dollars a y'er in the whole ten y'er, but I never raised my voice again hit till now.'

"'And why now?' I asked.

"'Because they're going to cut my salary down; say I'm gittin' stuck up an' proud an' wear store clo's, an' I need tamin'. 'Hold up,' he exclaimed, as we came to a path leading off the road. 'I've got to git out here, an' I'm much obleeged to you fer givin' me a lift, but before I go I'd like to ax you as a far minded man ef you don't think cuttin' my salary under existin' conditions ain't jest a leetle like wallupin' the gospel into the mud?'

"I assured him I thought it was, and with a hearty shake of my hand, he hurried away down the path and I went on my way pondering.—Detroit Free Press.

The Berkeley Orchestral Society will give their next concert at Shattuck hall on Friday evening next.

The Independent Taxpayers' Convention will meet at Shattuck hall on Saturday evening, April 6th, at 8 o'clock. Delegates will govern themselves accordingly. We learn that another date has been on dodgers, which was incorrect.

Harbor Commissioner Colnon thinks no more work should be performed on the foundation for the new ferry depot until the investigation commenced by Governor Budd is carried out. As that is what he is there for the suggestion will probably be carried out.

The following officers were elected by the Board of Directors of the San Francisco Art Association yesterday: President, James D. Phelan; first vice-president, William Kieth; second vice-president, Edward Bosqui; treasurer, Louis Sloss, Jr.; secretary, A. Page Brown; assistant secretary, J. R. Martin.

With a fair tariff against French and German beet sugar, Claus Spreckels says that California can produce enough of that article for all the United States. In connection the wheat crop is valued at $20,000,000 in California and the sugar crop could easily be made equal to four times that amount.

Bob Ingersoll has a doubt of the hereafter, and he is getting the benefit of the doubt in hard cash.

The mint authorities report a scarcity of ten cent pieces. This accounts for the frequency with which some people are abliged to pass off a three-cent piece for a dime.

One thing, at least, can be said for the tiny muffs now affected by fashionable ladies. They are too small for hand-warmers, but then, you know, they don't hide one's finger jewels.

Give every man the credit of sincerity, notwithstanding it may be a slight strain on your credulity to believe the doctor means what he says when he tells you, "I am glad to see you well, sir."

"Everything is as regular as clockwork about my house," said Brown, who was showing the splendors of his new residence to some of his friends. "Yes," said Fogg, "it is tick, tick all the time, I suppose."

Says an epigrammatic writer, "People's intentions can only be decided by their conduct." Therefore it is safe to infer when a man kicks you down stairs that he intends to discourage any further visits from you.

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PROSPERITY.

Last December the GAZETTE was launched upon the sea of journalism without any pomp or parade, but it immediately became a popular fixture with the people of Berkeley, and has been quoted from by papers abroad more than any other paper published in Berkeley. Since the GAZETTE started it has gained steadily in circulation and in advertising matter. The city of Oakland has chosen it as the most popular and best circulated paper in Berkeley for advertising the annexation proclamations of that city. All this has caused a pressure upon our columns that can only be met by enlargement, and as the GAZETTE has the best plant in town both for newspaper and job work we will tomorrow evening enlarge to a six column paper or just double our present size, and the paper will each day be filled with all the happenings of the town as well as with crisp editorials that are up to date and miscellaneous matter that will suit all of our readers, both ladies and gentlemen.

PETTY LARCENY.

The Oakland *Enquirer* and Berkeley *Advocate* are guilty of obtaining a communication sent to the Board of Trustees, in a surreptitious manner. The document in question has never been presented to the Board. It was only in the possession of the Clerk. All communications placed in the hands of the Clerk should be considered sacred until some action is taken by the proper parties.

Whether the communication is of any material value or not cuts no figure. The fact of journals doing this kind of stealing should be frowned down upon by the whole community. The excuse of getting the news first is only to qualm the conscience. Where there is no conscience this does not apply.

UNFAIR CRITICISM.

The *Advocate*, in its issue of last evening, went out of its way to criticise the platform of the Non-Partisan Convention and insinuates that it was a game of bluff, inasmuch as in one portion it calls for an economical administration of public affairs, and in another pledges its candidates for School Directors to do all in their power to enlarge and aid the public schools. The *Advocate* would insinuate that the platform does not mean what it says, and that the nominees of the Non-Partisan convention will construe it to mean that the reductions must be made in the school department. The platform was subscribed to by every nominee and it means just what it says and will be carried out to the letter by those nominees if they are elected. The poor old *Advocate* is in a peck of trouble and don't know what to do. Heretofore it has called the Non Partisans a pack of hoodlums and has pinned its faith to the Independent Taxpayers, but this year the Non-partisans and the Independent Taxpayers are so closely allied that the same names appear as delegates in both conventions and they both are for good government. It is evident that the *Advocate* is alarmed, and now in a more than visible way wants to cry down the nominees of both conventions and calls for a Citizen's Convention that will give them honest politics. The people of Berkeley are now pulling together and they recognize in the Non-Partisans and the Independent Taxpayers an element that is for the very best interests of Berkeley, and consequently the *Advocate's* call for a Citizen's Convention will go unheeded.

Voting in the East yesterday showed great Republican gains in every place that an election was held.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR TOWN MARSHAL,

J. W. STRIKER,

Regular Nominee of the Non-Partisan Convention.

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CHAS. W. GOMPERTZ,

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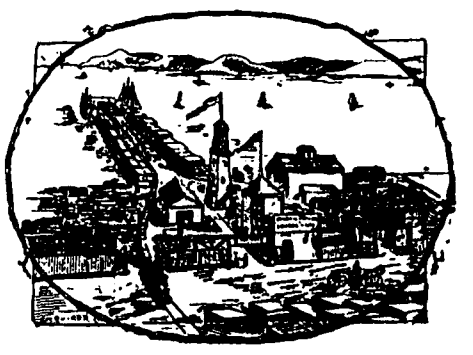

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Poll Tax Notice.

OAKLAND, March 4, 1895.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the State Poll Tax of Two Dollars for the year 1895 is now due and payable at my office, Room 1, Court House, or to a deputy assessor.

SEC. 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every mail inhabitant of the State, over twenty-one and under 60 years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, not taxed, must annually pay a poll tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the first Monday in March and the first Monday in July, then it shall be three dollars.

SEC. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such persons to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under sections 429 to 434 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

Henry P. Dalton,
Assessor of Alameda County.

OFFICE OF THE

Assessor of Alameda County.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.

OAKLAND, March 4, 1885.

ALL PERSONS, firms, company, corporations and associattons are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, immediately, a statement under oath of all property, both real and personal, owned, or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH, 1895, in accordance with the constitution.

Refusal or neglect to make a sworn statement of all the property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statements to the full penalty of the law—one hundred dollars fine and guilty of a misdemeanor.

All persons owning real estate that has heretofore been assessed in the wrong name on the real estate assessment book, or who have purchased real estate within the last year, are requested to appear with their deeds, at the Assessor's office, and have the proper changes made for the year 1895. Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the book has already been commenced.

Proper blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office.

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Prohibition Convention.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Prohibition party held Friday evening, March 29, 1895, the following delegates were selected to form the convention to meet at Woodmen's hall on Thursday evening April 4th, to nominate a ticket to be voted for at the annual town election May 13th. The following persons are requested to be present, also all other citizens who will subscribe to our party principles will be eligible to sit as delegates in this convention. O. G. May, chairman; Fred W. Foss, secretary:

A H McDonald,	Henry Petersen,
Robert Carter,	V R Sherman,
H W Lloyd,	S V Nichols,
D F McDonald,	Henry Abbott,
Mrs Whitney,	Frank Abbott,
J L Barker,	J W Bridenbecker,
Leonard Clark,	R R Rush,
Jno Henderson,	H J McCoy,
J J Mason,	D Vervalin,
G S Randall	W E Topham,
Wm J Derickson,	Harry Coey,
Wright Boddy,	Frank Argall,
Fred Wilkes,	Chas Dunning,
Robert Stewart,	L S Dunning,
J K Stewart,	L Kennedy,
J H Wood,	Elmer Cole,
Dr A. Sarrick,	Leonard Clark,
J N Albin,	Harold E Monser,
Frank Heywood,	Isaac Bangs,
Sam Heywood,	S Hackley,
Robert Bentley,	J H Rhodes,
J C Gentry,	Frank A Davis,
O G May,	J H Cooper,
W H Bone,	J J Rose,
N L Freese,	Mr Turner,
Eugene Wilcox,	Wallace Clark,
J W Cartright,	Wm Clark,
L Revonlds,	Frank May,
E O Campbell,	James Scott,
Dr Matthews,	Walter Taynton,
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Independent Taxpayers Delegates.

The following delegates were appointed last evening to attend the Convention of the Independent Taxpayers, which meets on April 6th:

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Berryman, Frederk	McDonald, D F
Bishop, Daniel L	Metcalf, Geo D
Breck, Chas R	Noyes, Arthur P
Carlisle, Albert B	Payson, W H
Coon, Henry I	Robertson, Victor J
Gage, John W	Teare, Philip
Henry, Geo J, jr	Thayer, Wm P
Hurlburt, Howard R	Walker, David H
Landon, Howard P	Webb, Earll H
Loyd, Horatio N	Wells, Frank B
McCarthy, John	Whitney, Wm

SECOND WARD.

Addison, Thos	Rickard, Reuben
Biedenbach, Chas L	Rising, Willard B
Booth, Wm F	Sell, W E
Cheney, W E	Spiers, James
Conness, John, jr	Spencer, John
Dornin, O G	Stutt, George
Edgar, Robert	Trott, W J
Fletcher, Geo W	Warnick, Jas W
Green, Adam T	Wickson, E J
Layman, Jos D	Whitney, Henry L
Lipman Fred'k L	Wilkinson, Chas T

THIRD WARD.

Allen, H W	Hunt, Clarence M
Barker, J L	Little, James R
Boone, Philip R	Mason, Jos J
Broad, A H	Morrison, John T
Clark, Chas K	Payne, Frank H
Clarke, Lemuel	Richards, Joen W
Eastman, Jos S	Rhorer, Milton M
Easton, Kimball G	Scotchler, Jos L
Foy, John M	Shattuck, Francis K
Havens, John W	Waterman, S D
Henderson, John	Whitworth, J M

FOURTH WARD.

Adams, D S	Hoppe, J C
Bissell, Wm C	Keane, D J
Blake, S T	Kieruff, T C
Brothers, J A	Nichols, A W
Brown, J Ward	Ogilvie, R C
Burbank, L	Palache, James
Cheesman, F S	Putzker, Albin
Forgie, Hugh	Randall, J S
Garber, Jos B	Ryder, M L
Gove, E B	Tisdale, H L
Haseltine, W S	Wright, Wm J

FIFTH WARD.

Bennett, Jas H	Kirkman, Wm H
Brown, Benjamin	Lea, Ernest L P
Crew, Jos	Mackay, J Stuart
D'Askwith, Edward	McMillan, Dugal
Derickson, Wm J	Smith, Sterling W
Finney, Chas	Spencer, Richard H
Geary, John V	Stevenson, Thos
Greenough, Harry T	Sutherland, Adam T
Hampton, Thos J	Welch, Geo W
Houghtaling, Wm S	Waterburry, Geo A
Irwin, Horace D	Whalley, Thos W

SIXTH WARD.

Carbone, J A	Nichelman, P
Cleaves, Fred'k L	Niehaus, Edward F
Dean, Adam F	Pascoe, J
Dowling, D E	Price, John M
Johnson, Chris	Ramos, John J
Kastens, Henry	Schuster, G A
Maloney, C D	Schmidt, George
McNamara, T. F	Spear, Chas H
McVey, Wilson	Sykes, Jas S
Michel, Hugo	Vasey, John
Newell, C J	Wilson, James

SEVENTH WARD.

Atchison, Wm E	Martinez, J M
Boddy, Wright	Payne, Wm E
Borkhiem, S H	Pete, James
Brown, C H	Phillips, George H
Burr, Chas H	Rooney, C P
Davis, C W	Taylor, Henry W
Geirrine, C	Teague, J F
Heywood, W M	Thurman, B I
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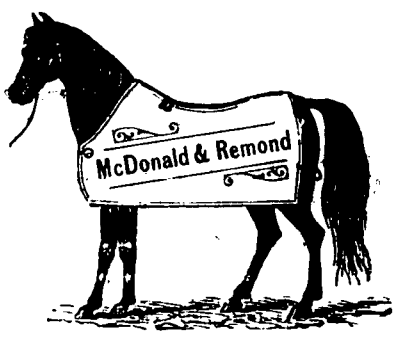

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Delin, August	Russ, Mrs F
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Gascoyne, Mrs E	Sullivan, Ellen
Gallatin, D S	Stutt, George
Girvin, Mrs J W	Thomas, S D
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Johnson, A M	White, Mr

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Minnie E., wife of A. K. Anthony to John Hingham, a portion of plat 55, Rancho V. and D. Peralta.

B. H. Madison and S. B. Peterson (trustees of the estate of William F. Witzeman) to Nicholas F. P. Witzeman, lot 5, block 18, Berkeley Villa Association.

Jera M. and Ellen G. Mansfield to Jera M. Mansfield Jr., lots 27 and 28, College View tract.

The air is now full of Independent candidates and the *Advocate's* Citizens' Convention.

Grand Jurymen.

The following names were drawn yesterday to serve as Grand Jurors of the County:

J. M. Painter,	Robt. McKillican,
H. Overacker, Jr.,	Mac Webber,
Geo. L. Fish,	J. W. Palmer,
T. P. Carey,	C. W. Kinsey,
O. H. Burnham,	H. S. Jarvis,
A. W. Pulcifer,	F. Russ,
H. A. Randlett,	A. D. Colby,
J. S. Emery,	L. E. Osgood,
A. T. Robinson,	L. H. Wakefield,
V. Alviso,	Henry Dapman,

Daniel Stuart.

Probably one of the busiest men in town is Professor W. Carey Jones. He is a man of constant application. His mind comes quick to the front for a decision. One can very soon see, during the meetings of the Board of Trustees, of which he is a member, that clearheadedness and prompt action enables him to get along with a great deal of business in a short time. It is not often that such men can be induced to accept office and when such a thing does come about the public should take a good grip and hold on.

Real Estate is already looking up in Berkeley and this is owing to the platform of the Non-Partisan party pledging the nominees for the Board of Trustees to aid in every way possible the Valley Railroad. We hope that the Taxpayers will insert a plank of the same kind in their platform as the present one is already being favorably commented upon by the directors ot the new railroad company.

The circulars addressed to the delegates appointed for the Independent Taxpayers as printed by the *Advocate* were misleading. They called for the presence of delegates at Shattuck Hall on Tuesday evening April 6, when in fact the convention meets on next Saturday evening.

Business men who want to be in the swim should have their advertisements ready for the enlarged GAZETTE and leave them at the Western Union Telegraph office by 11 o'clock tomorrow or telephone the same to the publication office, No. 89, six bells, West Berkeley.

Voters should observe the political announcements of J. W. Striker and Charles W. Gompertz, which appear in another column. Other candidates who want to be before the people should see that their cards are before the public in these columns.

There have been some changes made in the personal of the delegates to the Independent Taxpayers convention and a perusal of the call in another column will show who have been cancelled and who have been substituted.

Charles Underwood went fishing on Monday last in Wildcat Creek and caught about thirty-five of the finny beauties. They averaged about ten inches in length. He will be known hereafter as the Isaak Walton of Berkeley.

The Board of Education held their regular meeting last evening. Unavoidably the report is crowded out today but will appear in full in the enlarged edition tomorrow.

The Homestead Loan Association will hold their next regular meeting on Saturday evening next at the office of the Commercial Bank.

Jack Higgins is mentioned as a candidate for trustee for the Seventh ward.

The usual midweek prayer meeting will be held in all the churches this evening.

W. A. Bone will enter the lists at the Taxpayer's Convention for the office of Town Clerk.

J. J. Rose has announced himself as an independent candidate for trustee of the Fourth ward.

Byron Underwood has resigned as a member of the Executive Committee of the Taxpayer's Committee.

The Justices' Courts are not very prolific of news these days, and ye reporter is in consequence unhappy.

Mrs. Mary Plehn has let a contract to Frederick Estee to build her a residence on the Benton tract at a cost of $2215.

One of the teachers in the North Berkeley school will soon resign, to take a second venture in the matrimonial business.

The case of the People vs. Duggan charged with petty larceny is on trial before a jury in Judge Lord's Court this afternoon.

There will be revival services at the West Berkeley Methodist Church this evening and the public are cordially invited to attend.

Clam digging upon the beach of West Berkeley is now becoming quite a profitable pastime, as clam are plentiful and the prices yield about 25 cents per bucket.

Constable Newell returned this morning from San Jose, where he went to attend the funeral of a cousin who had committed suicide.

The question of the day is, "Have you seen Brady?" Another question is "Who is that woman who gets held up every night at Dwight way?"

Brewton A. Hayne, Chas. Huggins, and Guy Chick have been taken off the list of delegates to the Taxpayer's Convention in the second ward.

C. W. Davis has come to the conclusion that the honor of being a trustee is not the kind he wants and withdraws his name from the canvas.

Look out for the enlarged GAZETTE tomorrow evening and see that your advertisement is in it, as an extra large edition will be printed and distributed throughout the town.

The Telephone Company are painting the new poles recently erected in town. It would now be in good place for the Western Union to paint their poles, as at present they are very unsightly.

Mrs. George Dornin, of Dwight way, has donated a large package of papers to the San Quentine prisoners. They will be distributed by members of the Salvation Army, who hold service there every Sunday.

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